#### HOME HAPPENINGS.

-Kirk & Arnold have a stock of mechanical toys the like of which was never before seen in Canfield.

After a long season of delightful weather changed conditions Tuesday morning were decidedly unpleasant.

-On account of unavoidable delays.
The Dispatch this week reaches some of its readers a few hours later than

Tuesday afternoon the Stitchery Club was very pleasantly entertained at the home of Mrs. Roy Dickson on Court

-Repairs are being made on the Brobst building on Broad street in which a pool room was conducted for

-The bazaar to be held by the Presbyterian ladies at the church next Wednesday will be well worth visiting.

-While on the street Monday Mrs.
J. B. Hollis lost a blue coat which she
will be more than pleased to have the finder return to her.

-Canfield merchants who want your holiday trade are extending cordial in-vitations through the Dispatch to call and inspect their stocks.

—Application has been made to Pro-bate Judge Griffith for a hearing in the case of Miss Myra Smith, who is suffering from mental trouble. -Don't fail to hear Sidney Landon, the clever impersonator, who gives the third number of the College lecture

course next Tuesday night. -The Missionary Societies of the village churches were pleasantly enter-tained Wednesday afternoon by the C. W. B. M. of the Christian church at

the home of Mrs. A. Huxsaw. -On account of the cold weather Wednesday the stock sale of M. J. Cruthers, north of the village, the atndance was not so large nor the bldding so spirited as was expected.

-The Men's Club will meet this (Friday) evening in the pariors of the Pres-byterian church and will be addressed by Rev. D. D. Burt who will use a stereoptican to illustrate his remarks.

-A rabbit dashed across West Main street near the Presbyterian church Tuesday morning, evidence that bunny was not exterminated during the hunting season that closed last Saturday.

-Everybody attend the bazaar and supper at the Presbyterian church next Wednesday. An excellent opportunity will be offered to buy Christmas gifts and the supper, as usual, will be first-

-Wednesday morning brought a real article of winter, the mercury register-ing 10 degrees above zero and a stiff west gale made it seem much colder. Thursday morning was just as cold but the wind was not so high.

-James Williams on Friday shipped from Canfield seven cars or 1,300 sheep to the New York market. Mr. Wil-liams is the largest shipper of sheep in this county, every year buying and marketing thousands of head.

-The Dispatch has not learned of maple syrup having been made in Mahon-ing county the past week, but there was not a day sap would not run. The breaking of a maple twig is all that was necessary to prove this statement.

-The work of hauling ship timber from the Kirk woods in Eilsworth town-ship to the railroad in this place has on completed and the men and teams emploped by the Helman Co. of War-ren left for that city Wednesday after-

-The Presbyterian Sunday school will introduce an innovation in their Christmas entertainment to be given on the evening of Dec. 24 by having a "Giving Christmas." Each member of the school and each attendant at the exercises will have an opportunity to give something to make a Christman for the poor. Apples, potatoes, or any thing to eat or wear will be acceptable either from scholars or audience.

—A reception given by the C. W. B. M. of the Christian church at the home of Mrs. A. Huxsaw, Wednesday afternoon, was a pleasant occasion. Mrs. C. G. Elsam of Bina, India, was the honor Wednesday evening at the church Mrs. Elsam gave a most inter-esting talk on "Missionary Work it In-dia" before a large audience. Mrs. El-sam was born in India and this is her first visit to America. She understands the needs of India's mission field which made her talk the more interesting. She sold a number of Indian relics and has left some with Mrs. Burt. Anyone desiring to see them or purchase will please call at the Christian parsonage.

## UNION SCHOOL REPORT

The following pupils were perfect in attendance during the month of No.

Grammar Department-Earl Betts, Perry Cook, Helen Cook, Ross Fosnacht, Villa Konkle Emma Kirk, Kathryn Nash, Oscar Rice, Marion Tanner, Fay Cox, Perry Heintzelman, Mellville Trucksis, Charley Gee, Esther Kimerle, Carrie Rice, Elizabeth Tate, Ruth Weikart, Fern Wilt, Bernice Buck, Harold Bryson, Effie Hake, Irving Hine, Irving Kubic, Eugene Liddle, Ethel Lynn, Mabel Taber. E. E. Zimmerman, Teacher.

Intermediate—Urban Callahan, Ina Clay, Ruth Clay, Rachel Cushing, David Clay, Powers Dickson, Wilber Forver, Leo Fosnacht, Olive Givin, Ray Harroff, Lucile Hawkins, Dorotha Hollis, Donald Higgins, George Hard-

Hollis, Donald Higgins, George Harding, Minnie Myers, James Nash, Geo. Skelton, Bryan Tate, Russell Wise, Leslie Willoughby, Lewis Zeigler, Ora Stewart, Teacher.

Primary—Lea Calvin, Leland Lynn, Dorothy Heckel, Glenn Cook, Robert Manchester, Josephine Kimerle, Grace Thelma Heckel, Orrin Tate, Doris Dickson, Charlotte Manchester, Pearl Manchester, Josephine Kimerle, Grace Manchester, Josephine Kimerie, Grace Zeigler, Blanche Lyan, Clyde Forver, Donald Dickson, Rachel Harding, Geo. Cushing, Nila Schaeffer, Mabel Wil-gon, Jay Cooke, Beatrice Arnold, Mahion Kirkpatrick, Albert Swagger.
L. Josephine Helsel, Teacher.

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## COMING AND GOING.

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...... Charles Murphy was in Youngstown

Miss Ina Graves is visiting friends in Miss Winifred Campbell spent Wed-

nesday in Warren. Rev. and Mrs. R. E. Pugh spent Mon-

day in the metropolis. Samuel McNellly of Ellsworth was a Canfield visitor Friday.

Mrs. C. C. Fowler spent Wednesday with friends in Youngstown. Mrs. Laura Beardsley spent several

days this week in Cleveland. Rev. and Mrs. R. J. Beard were Youngstown visitors Tuesday.

Dr. L. A. Wagner of Ellsworth was in the Hub Tuesday afternoon.

G. N. Boughton went to Cleveland Tuesday on a business mission.

Robert Crothers of Lectonia spent Wednesday here with relatives. George Black of Akron spent a few days the past week in this locality.

Meedames J. F. Guy and W. J. Dickson spent Saturday in Youngstown.

J. S. Weaver of Green township was a Canfield visitor Thursday evening.

W. J. Smith and Wm. McKnight of Pittsburg spent Thursday in Canfield. Ensign Neff was among the numerous

Canfield people in Youngstown Monday. W. S. Baird of Green township called at the Dispatch office Saturday after-

Matthew and Robert Dickson of Ells-worth were Canfield business visitors

Mr. and Mrs. Jefferson Corll of Austintown township were in the village Wednesday.

Miss Edna Heintzelman spent several days last week with Miss Helen Cooper of Youngstown. Miss Mabel Foulk of North Jackson

spent Wednesday and Thursday with Canfield friends. R. L. Schnurrenberger of Greenford

was in Canfield Thursday and paid the

Dispatch office a visit. Miss Lucy Hartman of Youngstown spent several days here the past week caring for Miss Myra Smith.

Thelms, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Dickson, is slowly recover-ing from an attack of typhoid fever.

Mrs. Andrew Kroeck of Lowellville spent several days here this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Toot.

Miss Nora Dickson returned home Wednesday evening from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Will Hartman in Younge-

Seth Bassinger and Lewis Greasel of Beaver township were in the village Saturday and paid the Dispatch office a

J. S. Harding of Ellsworth was here Saturday afternoon attending a meeting of the directors of the Farmers' National bank.

Mr. and Mra. C. H. Kennedy returned home Monday evening from Youngs-town where they spent two weeks with their children.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Sonnedecker of Sharon spent Saturday and Sunday here, the former enjoying the last day of the hunting season in the field with friends.

B. M. Kirk of Ellsworth was in the village Wednesday afternoon. having decided to change his vocation. Mrs. J. F. Waters and daughter Nila,

Mrs. W. J. Lynn, son Ross and daugh-ter Ethel, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Hambright, Mrs. Warren Harding and daughter and V. P. Blim were among the Canfield people in Youngstown Wednesday.

## Church Chimes.

The Presbyterian choir is busily preparing the Christmas Cantata to be reniered Sunday, Dec 19, at the hour of morning service and again later in the day at an hour yet to be announced. The subject of this year's music by Mrs. E. L. Asnford is "The Prince of Peace," and it will be a delight to all hearing it.

Christian Church-Sunday school at 10 o'clock sun time. Preaching at II a. m. Theme, "The News of the Lepers." .....C. E prayer meeting at 6 p. m. Subject, "Crossing the River." Leader, Miss Mary Porter. Presching at 7 o'clock. Stereopticon sermon, "Feachings of Christ." We expect to have with us morning and evening Song Evangelist Prof. Frank Simpkins. Every contract of the professional services of the professional services. erybody made welcome.

## North Jackson.

DEC 9-G. Wallace Shafer, wife and son Stuart were in Youngstown Wednesday.

Mesdames S. J. Clemmens and N. W. Hole att-nded a temperence lecture in Youngstown Thursday. Charles Foulk is working in Youngs-

The dime social given by the young men of the Lutheran and Reformed churches at the home of Jonas Stroup was well attended.

George Gault and family of Chicago

spent several days here with his parents and relatives.

Robert Russell and wife entertained friends from Youngstown Sunday, Charles Sinn is repairing his wagon

shed.
Miss Adell Foulk of Springfield and
Grant Foulk of Warren spent Sunday
here with their mother, Mrs. Susie

Foulk.

Friends in this place of Mr. and Mrs.
Benton Calvin of Cornersburg were
sorry to hear of the death of their
daughter Ethel who was sick only a
short time. A number from here attended the funeral Wednesday.

Miss Mildred Goist is working for
Giver parties.

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Ford Gault and wife spent Sunday with Calla relatives.
Homer Stroup and wife were called to Youngstown Friday by the serious iliness of their daughter, Mrs. Wehr.
Mrs. Willis Freyman visited Mrs.
Lavins Eulderreed in Niles, Saturday.
James Ouborne fell in Ira Baird's barn last week and seriously injured one arm.

No Wonder She's Oross.

The woman who has a thousand petty cares and annoyance while the suffers with headache or side-sche must not be blamed if she cannot always be angelically aminble. What she needs is thought-fulness from her family and such a simple and nat-ural remedy as Lane's Family Medicine, the herb

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# Story in the Family

By W. R. Rose.

It was a remarkably cool and pleasant room, a gentle breeze fluttered the white muslin curtains and the roses on their tall bushes nodded across the window sills at the caller. The caller smiled back at them and drew a long breath of the delicately perfumed air. He was a young man who liked roses and green fields and the charm of the countryside. And he liked the restful quiet of the little sit ing room. He arose quickly as a lady entered the room.

"Good morning, madam."

"Good morning." She was a slender lady of perhaps sixty, a gray haired lady of an old fashioned type, a lady of much dignity of movement, and yet with a quick manner that at times suggested the sprightliness of a bird.

She pressed her gold-rimmed glasses a little closer to her nose and carefully surveyed the young man.

"I trust you are quite well, madam?" "Quite well."

She drew her thin lips together, "If it's books," she said, "there isn't any use of your staying a min-

ute longer." The caller smiled. "I'm not a book agent," he told her. "Is it apple corers?"

"I'm not a peddler." "I bought an apple corer of a young man who was something of your build most three years ago. It broke on the second greening. He was a mite stouter, perhaps," She paused and again regarded him attenuvely. "If you are neither a book agent nor an apple corer," she said, "you may take

a chair." "Pardon me, madam," he said, "my name is Richard Barclay, and my home is in New York. I am in the law office of Renfrew & Darnley and will be admitted to partnership in the

firm the first of January." "There is nothing very startling about that," said the lady, "Perhaps in time you will get around to the business that brought you here."

"Yes, madam. You have a niece." "Oh, it's my niece you want to

"No, madam, my busines is with you." "You are the strangest young man for beating around the bush I ever

met. Why don't you say what you want, and be done with it," "Madam, I want your permission to

marry your niece." "I knew," she presently said, "that I was taking great chances when Clare made that visit to New York with

Louise Humphrey." "I haven't much to offer her," he said; "at least, at present. I'm young and I'm making my way, and my chances seem good. I can give Clare a modest home in a nice neighborhood, a home in which there will always be room for you, dear madam."

The lady slighly sniffed. "You are getting ahead a little too fast young man. I've no thought of moving just at present. Does Clare know about this-this delightful ar-

rangement?" "Yes, madam."

"It's all settled, then?" "No, madam. It all depends on

Again the lady slightly sniffed. "My piece was in New York just a month. During that month you contrived to persuade yourself that she was the only girl in all the world you could care for. Did you, or did you not?"

"I did, madam."

"Seems nonsenucal, doesn't it?" "No. madam."

She shook her head at him reprov-"You look like a fairly sensible

young man. Does my niece reciprocate this-the fanciful attachment?" "Yes, madam."

"And she sent you to me?"

"Yes, madam." "But why come to me if you are both agreed?"

"Clare owes you too much, madam, to do anything contrary to your approval."

"Holty-tolty! And suppose I refuse?"

"We can wait, madam." "That's just what you should do. How sally this seems. You have met my niece twenty times, we'll say, and no doubt think her the one perfect flower of all girlhood. Lo I use the right expression?"

"Yes, madam." "She drew the gray shawl a little

closer. "Do you appreciate what you are asking of me?" she suddenly flamed out. "What do we know about you?" "Very little, madam. I can only tell you that I am clean and honest, and

have a good profession." "That is what you say." Then her eyes suddenly twinkled behind her glasses. "I'll admit that I'm a little prejudiced in your favor-altaough you certainly are not as good looking as Clare would have me believe. And I like your letters."

"Did Clare show them to you?" "How else could I have seen them? They were not nearly as slushy as might have been expected."

"Thank you." "That one that told about the Italian child in the police court was as good

Vegetable Suspension Bridge. A remarkable suspension bridge spans the River Apurimac in central Peru. The ropes of this bridge are composed of pliable roots and vines, while the planks are made branches. In the humid climate of Peru it would be by no means extraordinary if this vegetable bridge were one day to start growing.—Wide

When a man hires another man to do a piece of work, and does not agree up on the price, but says: "There will be no trouble about that," there always is.

foreign parts.

There is probably nothing shocks a man worse than to hear that an old ac-quaintance, a man about his own age.

both cried over it." She paused and drew a long breath. "It's very silly in me, I know, but never having had any love affair of my own it is natural I should feel extra interest in Clare's." She took off her glasses and again wiped them with much care. He looked at her curiously.

"I begin to have a suspicion," he

"Of what?" "That you knew me all the time." The lady laughed softly.

Four appearance." "And you didn't really take me for a book agent?"

"I wasn't particularly startled by

"Aunt Lucy," said the young man,

"you certainly are a very clever "Aunt Lucy! Holty-tolty- You are taking a good deal for granted, Richard Barclay. But there; let's be frank and straightforward. I promise you nothing. You will stay and take dinner with us and then we three will talk this all over. We are going to be perfectly independent on our side, you understand. We may be pooror at least very far from rich, but we are proud. We came by it naturally. That's my father's picture up there, Jethro Holt. He was as proud as a

The young man looked up quickly. "What did you call his name?"

"Jethro Holt," The young man's eyes sparkled. "Jethro Holt, of Petunia, Me. Born

there in 1815; died in 1863." "Why, yes. He was my father." The young man drew a narrow book from his pocket and rapidly leafed it

"Jethro Holt left three children, a boy and two girls, Arthur, Lucy and

Emily." "Yes. I am Lucy Mellen Holtcommonly called Aunt Lucy Mellon. At least that's what Clare has called me ever since she could talk. Emily was Clare's mother. She died when Clare was a baby, and Clare's father died the year after."

The young man stared hard at her. "Can you prove this relationship?" "Why, yes, of course. I have the old family Bible and many letters and my father's picture and the deed of the old home."

He drew a quick breath. "This is wonderful," he said. "Tell me about your brother."

"He was older than I-nine years older. He was a wayward boy and greatly worried my father. When he was eighteen he ran away from home and shipped on a whaler. The ship was lost in the Pacific and all the crew were reported drowned."

"Your brother escaped," said the young man. "He was picked up by a Russian sealer and landed at a Siberian port. He found his way to Australia and roughed it as a sheep herder. There, through some mad fancy, he changed his name. He was no longer Arthur Holt, he was Henry Harlan. He became a trader and prospered greatly. Finally he made his residence in New York. He lived there twenty years. He died there seven months ago."

The lady, a strange look in her eyes, stirred suddenly. "And that man was my brother?"

"Yes." She sighed. "My poor brother." The young man leaned forward. "Oh," he said, "we have searched for you in so many places! The head of our firm was your brother's attorney and one of the executors of the estate. The matter of finding the

clews; I have advertised in many sections-and now, to stumble on you like this!" "Then we are heirs to his prop-

heirs was placed in my hands. I

have traveled many miles on false

erty?" said the lady. "He died without a will. You and Clare are his only living kin," "Does that mean we are rich?"

"Very, very rich." They were both silent for a moment or two. Then the lady sighed. "That comes a little late for me," she softly said, "but it will be beau-

tiful for Clare." A troubled look crossed the young man's face, "Clare," he murmured. "This

changes everything." "What do you mean?" "Don't you see? Clare is now a great helress. A new world opens before her. She can choose where she will."

"True," said the lady. "It puts me in a painful, a false position. Why, even you might believe that I knew her relationship to Henry Harlan before I asked her to be my wife." "True," said the lady again.

"Such a suspicion is shameful," he went on. "The one manly thing for me to do is to release Clare from her promise." The lady arose and went to the

window. It was plain that she was

agitated by his startling news. Presently she beckoned to him. "Here," she said. "Do you see that young woman coming up the roadway? That is the great hearess. And she's something much better than that. She's a sweet and lovable g'rl whose womanly heart can't be spoiled by any amount of money. I know her better than any other living person. Richard Barclay, and I tell you you have nothing to fear." She turned and looked at him and late a slender hand on his shoulder. "Besides-" she began.

"Yes, dear lady." She softly laughed. "It really looks as if we ought to have a lawyer in the family."

Find Crab Useful. Students of the Crustaces often find the cod a useful assistant collector, Thus the circular crab seems to be a favorite food of cods and rays, and it was chiefly from the stomachs of these fish that some of the oldest naturalists obtained their specimens. Another hunting ground of the naturalist is the sailing ship which has been in



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